

Abstract

Treating Products Moulded from Fibre Reinforced Plastics

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To treat FRP moulded products, such as boat hulls, where the structure of the FRP laminate has been damaged, eg by water penetration, a layer of impermeable sheet material 10 is first secured to a surface of the product to be treated to enclose a space between the surface and the layer. The contents of the space are continuously evacuated, for example by a vacuum pump, and then heating is applied within the space. A spacer is provided within the space 15 to hold the sheet material away from the surface when vacuum is applied.

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